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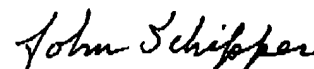
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Dear Sir:

In response to receipt of a Claims Restriction Requirement, mailed 16 February 2005, for the patent application identified above, the Applicant hereby cancels claims 1-5, 15-27, 28-31 and 41-46 and elects to continue with prosecution of claims 6-14 and 32-40

Respectfully Submitted,



John Schipper

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